

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

DETARIFFING BILLING AND)
COLLECTION SERVICES) ADM. CASE NO. 306

O R D E R

On September 8, 1988, South Central Bell Telephone Company ("South Central Bell") filed its response to the Commission's request for information dated March 1, 1988. The response consists of a list of all companies for whom South Central Bell provides billing and collection services. Along with its response, South Central Bell filed a Petition for confidential treatment of the information, pursuant to the provisions of 807 KAR 5:001 Section 7.

As grounds for its petition, South Central Bell states that (1) the information is not known outside South Central Bell, (2) the information is not disseminated within South Central Bell and is known only to those employees with a need to know and act upon the information, (3) South Central Bell uses appropriate security measures in its offices to assure that the information is accorded confidential treatment, (4) disclosure of the information would cause competitive injury to South Central Bell, and (5) non-disclosure of the information will not harm the public interest.

The Commission is of the opinion and finds that South Central Bell's petition should be granted, subject to the provisions of 807 KAR 5:001 Section 7. Accordingly, this finding is HEREBY ORDERED.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this

28th day of September, 1988.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Richard D. Hemminger
For the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director